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BOER FORCES INTACT

They Retreated From Pretoria With All Their Men and All Their Guns.

500 BRITISH WERE TRAPPED

General Buller Evacuated Utrecht and Concluded a Three Days' Armistice With General Botha—Lord Roberts Received With Enthusiasm.

London, June 6.—Lord Roberts telegraphed the war office: "Pretoria, June 5.—The occupation of the town passed off most satisfactorily. The British flag is now hoisted on top of the government offices. The troops met a more enthusiastic reception than I had anticipated."

London, June 6.—Until the situation in the neighborhood of Pretoria is settled, officials here, as well as others, will find difficulty in prognosticating Lord Roberts' immediate program. It appears evident that the Boer commander in chief, General Botha, with all his guns, withdrew in good order, probably along the Delagoa bay railroad, with a view of joining President Kruger. So the Transvaal forces remain practically intact with Presidents Kruger, Steyn, General Botha and Secretary of State Botha in a position to continue the direction of affairs. The more optimistic see in the fact that Kruger and Botha's wives were left at Pretoria an indication that the president does not count on a long resistance. In any case, it will probably take Roberts a week to organize the campaign of pursuit.

AN ARMISTICE. A special dispatch from Lorenzo Marques, dated June 5, says: "General Buller and Christian Botha met at Lalag's Nek at Buller's request, when a three days' armistice was agreed upon." The dispatch adds that the British evacuated Utrecht.

BRITISH BATTALION SURRENDERED. Pretoria, June 6.—Five hundred British yeomen were surrounded by the Boers and made prisoners. The surrendered forces were part of the 13th Imperial yeomanry. On Lord Roberts receiving the information that the battalion had been attacked, he ordered Methuen to proceed with all speed to Koonstsdal. Methuen marched forty-four miles in twenty-five hours, but was too late to rescue Colonel Sprague's yeomanry. Methuen attacked the Boers, who were between 2,000 and 3,000 strong, and after a running fight of five hours completely routed them.

MEN AND CASH GONE. Pretoria, June 6.—General Botha and most of his men got away from Pretoria. President Kruger took with him \$12,000,000 in cash before leaving the city.

MARYLAND DEMOCRATS.

They are Harmonious and Cheer for Colonel Bryan.

Baltimore, Md., June 6.—The Democrats of Maryland in state convention selected a delegation to Kansas City, adopted a platform which leaves the delegates uninstructed, but declares that William J. Bryan is the choice of the Democrats of the state of Maryland. Imperialism is condemned, a large standing army deplored, and it is suggested that the Democrats everywhere lay aside differences on the currency question and unite in an effort to stay the overwhelming progress of radical errors regarding the nature of our government, inaugurated by President McKinley and the Republican party. The following delegates at large were chosen: Gov. John Walter Smith, State Treasurer Murray Vandiver, ex-Congressman Joshua W. Miles and Col. L. Victor Baughman.

Parkersburg, W. Va., June 6.—The Democratic state convention met to-day with the largest attendance ever known at a political gathering in this state. The convention is marked by the reunion of factions not in harmony for some years. Former Senator Henry G. Davis, temporary chairman, made a plea for harmony and the avoidance of extreme or radical declarations on which there might be a serious difference. Mr. Davis eulogized Bryan, whose name was most enthusiastically received.

AGAINST CITY MACHINES.

Missouri Democrats Turn Down the St. Louis Organization.

Kansas City, June 6.—The Democratic convention named the committee to-day. The complexion of the credentials committee makes it certain that a fight against the police machines at St. Louis and Kansas City will be conducted to the bitter end. The convention adopted a resolution thanking congress, particularly Senators Cockrell and Vest, for the passage of the St. Louis world's fair bill.

The credentials committee, which blocked the work of the gathering all day yesterday, was ready to report. The committee had been in session till after midnight, and found against police machines both here and at St. Louis.

The credentials committee report was adopted without debate. The platform adopted reaffirms the Chicago platform, arraigns the Republican party as guilty of hypocrisy in dealing with trusts, and deprecates the "war for conquest," and pledges Missouri for Bryan. Chairman Cowherd nominated ex-Congressman A. M. Dockery for governor. Dockery was nominated by acclamation. The convention went wild as he mounted the platform to make the speech of acceptance.

John A. Lee, of St. Louis, was nominated for lieutenant governor on the third ballot. Lee was for twenty years a traveling salesman, and for four years was national president of the Travelers' Protective Association.

POSTMASTER AT MESILLA.

Demetrio Chavez Has Been Appointed to That Position.

Special to the New Mexican. Washington, June 6.—Demetrio Chavez has been appointed postmaster at Mesilla. Delegate Perea says there is no other citizen in that town who will accept the appointment. The president is at the capitol receiving and signing bills during the last hours of the first session of the present congress.

A BATTLE WITH THE BOXERS.

A War Between Russia and Japan May Result.

Washington, June 6.—The state department received a cable from Minister Conger stating that matters have taken a more serious turn at Pekin. No details are given, but it is indicated that the "Boxers" activity is extending very close to the Chinese capital.

Shanghai, June 6.—The soldiers dispatched to attack the "Boxers" fought an engagement quite close to Pekin, and many were killed on both sides. In consequence of the representations of Japan, the landing of a large Russian force at Taku is alleged to have been stopped.

WAR WITH RUSSIA.

It is believed that should Russia persist in sending a preponderant military force to the front a collision with Japan will be the inevitable result.

A FOREIGN SQUADRON.

Vienna, June 6.—The Neue Freie Presse to-day says that the representatives of the foreign powers at Pekin requested their governments to assent to sending a squadron of foreign warships to blockade Pei Ho river, leading to Pekin, as well as blockading Tientsin.

CAN REPEAL FRANCHISE.

St. Louis Has the Right to Repeal the Franchise of the Transit Company.

St. Louis, June 6.—There is no change to-day in the street railway strike situation. Negotiations between the strikers and the transit company are at a standstill. City Counselor Schnurmacher has delivered an opinion to the municipal assembly that it has the power to repeal any franchise or grant made by it since the present city charter went into effect, providing the holders of the special privilege have neglected to carry out the obligations assumed.

JOHN W. KERN NOMINATED.

He Is Nominated for Governor By the Indiana Democratic State Convention.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 6.—Samuel M. Kistner, chairman of the state Democratic convention, in the course of a speech to-day, said: "No man need apologize for fighting under the banner of W. J. Bryan." Every delegate sprang to his feet, waved his hands, and the cheering for Bryan continued three minutes. John W. Kern was nominated for governor on the first ballot.

A letter from E. T. Shively was read, declining to be a candidate. The ballot for governor resulted: Kern, 519; Burke, 369; Bozarth, 41; complimentary vote for Shively, 292; necessary to a choice, 764. For delegates at large, Samuel E. Morris, Hugh Dougherty, James Murdock and George B. Mensler were chosen. The platform pledges allegiance to the principles of the Chicago platform; indorses Bryan; says the "corrupting influences of the colonial dominion already brought disgrace upon the Republican party, the usurped and dictatorial power of which has already reached the danger line;" denounces the Hay-Pauncefote treaty as an abject surrender to England.

John C. Lawler, of Salem, received the nomination for lieutenant governor on the third ballot. Adam Heimberger, of New Albany, was nominated for secretary of state; John W. Minor, of Indianapolis, auditor; John Herff, of Peru, treasurer.

THE OREGON ELECTION.

The Early Reports of Republican Victory are Verified.

Portland, Ore., June 6.—Incomplete returns from the state indicate the election of Wolverson, Rep., for supreme judge, and Bailey, Rep., for food and dairy commissioner, by 8,000 to 10,000 majority. In the first congressional district, Tongue, Rep., is elected by 1,500 to 2,000 majority, a gain of from 500 to 1,000 over the last election. In the second congressional district, Moody, Rep., for congress, is elected by 8,000 majority. Conceding the Democratic claim that the entire fusion legislative ticket in Multnomah county is elected, the Republicans claim the state legislature, which will elect a successor to Senator McBride, will have a Republican majority of ten or eleven.

Portland, Ore., June 6.—Complete returns show that Rowe, Rep., is elected mayor of Portland by 1,073 plurality. The four fusion state senators of Multnomah county are elected, and of the lower house members the Republicans get five and the Democrats seven. G. R. Chamberlain, Dem., is elected district attorney of Multnomah county by 952 plurality.

INJUNCTION GRANTED.

The Chinese Score a Point Against the San Francisco Health Authorities.

San Francisco, June 6.—No new cases of the plague were reported to-day. Judge Morrow, of the United States circuit court, on complaint made in the name of Jew Ho, granted an order temporarily restraining the board of health and the chief of police from prohibiting surgeons employed by the Chinese to care for their sick and to examine their dead from entering quarantine lines.

Socialist Candidates for President.

New York, June 6.—The Socialist-Labor party, in convention, to-day nominated Joseph P. Maloney, of Lynn, Mass., for president of the United States.

CONGRESS ADJOURNS

The Last Day of the Present Session of the National Legislative Body.

CONFERENCE AGREEMENTS

Several Presidential Nominations for Alaska—Naval Conferees Deadlocked on the Armor Plate Provision—Agreement On the Deficiency Bill.

Washington, June 6.—Congress this morning entered upon the last day of its present session. While the sessions lasted practically all night, exciting scenes and incidents of former days were missing. The conference reports on the sundry civil appropriation, the naval academy and the general deficiency bills were adopted. The sundry civil bill was a complete agreement, excepting on one item, relating to Nevada claims. The naval conferees were deadlocked on the armor plate provision. There was a complete agreement on the deficiency bill. The military academy bill was passed and sent to the president.

HOUSE.

Representative Newlands of Nevada moved that the house concur in the senate amendment to the sundry civil bill for the payment of Nevada's claim of \$462,000 for extra pay given Nevada's soldiers during the civil war. The Newlands motion was lost by a vote of 45 to 87. The bill was sent back to conference.

The house passed a few bills of minor importance during the afternoon by unanimous consent, but spent most of the time in recess.

SENATE.

Senator Penrose offered the following proposition to end the deadlock over the naval bill: "That the secretary of the navy is hereby authorized to procure by contract armor of the best quality for any or all vessels above referred to, provided such contracts can be made at a price which is now in his judgment reasonable and equitable, but in case he is unable to make contracts for armor under the above conditions, he is hereby authorized and directed to procure a site for and erect thereon a factory for the manufacture of armor, and the sum of \$4,000,000 is hereby appropriated toward the erection of said factory."

The senate adopted the Penrose armor plate amendment by a vote of 39 to 35.

The senate rejected the nomination of Fred B. Spriggs, of Utica, N. Y., to be agent for the Indians at the Nevada agency, Nevada.

The senate took up the sundry civil bill, the Nevada claim being the contested point.

PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATIONS.

Washington, June 6.—The president sent the following nominations to the senate: John A. Russell, of Illinois, to be attorney general of Porto Rico; Samuel C. Bothwell, of Porto Rico, marshal of the supreme court in Porto Rico; William H. Elliott, of Indiana, commissioner of the interior of Porto Rico; W. P. Frenn, of Hawaii, chief justice of the supreme court of Hawaii; Clinton A. Galbraith and Antonio Perry, of Hawaii, to be associate justices of the supreme court of Hawaii. Judges of the circuit courts in Hawaii—Abram S. Humphreys, of Hawaii, first judge of the first circuit; R. B. Stillman, of Hawaii, second judge of the first circuit; John W. Kalua, of Hawaii, second circuit; W. S. Eddings, of Hawaii, third circuit; Gilbert F. Little, of Hawaii, fourth circuit; J. Hardy, of Hawaii, fifth circuit; William Hayward, of Honolulu, collector of internal revenue for the district of Hawaii.

FUTURE ALASKA OFFICIALS.

Washington, June 6.—The president sent to the senate nominations of new judicial officers for Alaska—Judges Melville C. Brown of Alaska, James Wickham of Washington and Arthur H. Noyes of Minnesota; marshals, James M. Sharp of Alaska, Cornelius L. Lawler of Alaska and G. G. Perry of Iowa; attorneys, Robert A. Friedrich of Alaska, Joseph K. Wood of Montana and A. M. Post of Nebraska; for governor of Alaska, John G. Brady.

PREPARING FOR SEA.

The Massachusetts and the Indiana to Be Ready in Short Order.

Philadelphia, June 6.—Under orders from the navy department, the battleships Massachusetts and Indiana, at League Island navy yard, are being prepared for sea. A notice to Commandant Casey is simply to dispatch the ships as soon as possible to Hampton Roads, where they are to await further orders. Both vessels are practically ready.

MARKET REPORT.

MONEY AND METAL. New York, June 6.—Money on call nominally 2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3 @ 3 1/2. Silver 60 Lead \$3.80.

GRAIN.

Chicago.—Wheat, June, 67 1/2; July, 68 1/2. Corn, June, 38 1/2; July, 39 1/2. Oats, June, 21 1/2; July, 21 1/2.

STOCKS.

Kansas City.—Cattle, 6,000; steady to lower; native steers, \$3.90 @ \$5.35; Texas steers, \$3.50 @ \$5.00; Texas cows, \$3.00 @ \$4.50; native cows and heifers, \$2.50 @ \$4.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 @ \$4.00; bulls, \$3.25 @ \$4.00. Sheep, 2,000; steady; lambs, \$4.50 @ \$7.40; muttons, \$3.00 @ \$5.25. Chicago.—Cattle, 21,000; steady to 15c lower, butchers stock weak; good to prime steers, \$5.00 @ \$5.65; poor to medium, \$4.40 @ \$4.90; stockers and feeders, \$3.75 @ \$5.00; cows, \$3.00 @ \$4.40; heifers, \$3.25 @ \$4.75; canners, \$2.35 @ \$3.00; bulls, \$2.75 @ \$4.35; calves, \$5.00 @ \$7.00; Texas fed steers, \$4.50 @ \$5.25; Texas grass steers, \$3.75 @ \$4.40; Texas bulls, \$3.00 @ \$4.50. Sheep, 15,000; steady; good to choice wethers, \$4.25 @ \$5.50; fair to choice medium, \$3.50 @ \$5.10; western sheep, \$4.75 @ \$5.40; yearlings, \$5.50 @ \$6.00; native lambs, shorn, \$5.00 @ \$6.75; western lambs, shorn, \$7.15; spring lambs, \$8.00 @ \$9.00.

OFFICIAL MATTERS.

PENSION GRANTED.

Patrick Kelly, of Rincon, Dona Ana county, has been granted a pension of \$12 per month.

APPOINTED INTERPRETER.

Clement Hightower, late editor of the Socorro Chief, has been appointed to the position of translator in the surveyor general's office. He arrived from Socorro yesterday and entered upon his duties.

SCHOOL AT DULCE.

The contract for the erection of a school building for the Jicarilla Indian reservation in Rio Arriba county, was awarded to W. O. Morrison, of Raton. The school together with the water works will cost \$75,000.

TRIP OF INSPECTION.

Hon. I. B. Hanna, the newly appointed superintendent of government forestry in New Mexico and Arizona, leaves in a day or two for a two weeks' trip south, and west to look over the field of his new duties and become acquainted with the existing forestry conditions in this district.

THE CENSUS WORK.

Census Supervisor Pedro Sanchez states that the work of the enumerators which commenced on the 1st inst. is progressing most satisfactorily throughout the bureau of immigration trip south, and west to look over the field of his new duties and become acquainted with the existing forestry conditions in this district.

MEMBER OF IMMIGRATION BUREAU.

The first official act of Governor Otero in his office at the new capitol was the appointment of A. G. Hood, of Silver City, Grant county, as a member of the bureau of immigration to succeed W. A. Hawkins, of Alamogordo, Otero county, resigned. The appointment of Mr. Hood will be sure to give satisfaction to the people of the territory.

CATTLE SANITARY BOARD.

The cattle sanitary board, at its recent session, in addition to routine business and to business already reported in the New Mexican of date of June 4, arranged for the publication of a brand book; appointed J. M. Santistevan inspector for Taos and Rio Arriba counties, on recommendation of Hon. Malaquias Martinez; the report of the auditing committee, consisting of Messrs. Hinkle and Chaffin, concerning the financial standing and accounts of Secretary J. A. LaRue, was approved and the accounts and records of the secretary examined, found correct and in good shape. Reports from the several inspectors throughout the territory show that the ranges are in fine condition, water plentiful and stock and cattle in first-class shape. The board then adjourned.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

The New Mexico board of health met at 10 o'clock yesterday morning at the Elks' parlors, all members being present except Dr. J. M. Cunningham, of Las Vegas, and Dr. G. S. Esterday, of Albuquerque. The newly appointed member, Dr. Frank Bishop, of Albuquerque, was sworn in as member of the board. Dr. W. R. Tipton, of Las Vegas, brought up the subject of enlarging the powers and authority of the board, and urged united effort to the end of attaining needed legislation on this point on lines suggested by the board to the legislative assembly of four years ago. The board resolved to take up the subject at the proper time. The license to practice medicine in New Mexico hitherto issued to W. C. Davis, a traveling medicine man, was revoked. On formal presentation of his credentials, Dr. Thomas M. Watson, late of Toledo, now of Santa Fe, was granted a license to practice medicine in New Mexico.

CHAPELLE TO BE A CARDINAL.

Information Received at Washington to That Effect.

Dispatches from Washington state that Archbishop Chapelle is to be created a cardinal by the pope. The archbishop, who was at one time archbishop of the diocese of Santa Fe, and resided here several years, is now in the Philippine islands as the papal delegate from the United States. He will be allowed to retain his see of New Orleans, and will be made the titular pastor of one of the churches at Rome. The appointment, when made, gives the United States another cardinal, and therefore two votes in the college of cardinals, which elects the pope. The rise of Archbishop Chapelle in the Roman Catholic church has been almost without precedent. It was only a comparatively short time ago that he was pastor of a church at Washington, and was advanced rapidly. He was made a doctor of theology in Rome, created bishop and then archbishop, and soon afterward was promoted to the archbishopric of New Orleans. At the close of the Spanish-American war he went to Cuba, and from there was sent to the Philippines.

EQUALIZATION OF TAXES.

County Commissioners are Raising the Assessments On Many Properties.

The board of county commissioners went into regular session yesterday, its chief business being the consideration of the returns made by taxpayers to the county assessor. It is incumbent upon them to go over these records once a year and equalize the tax returns, not a very pleasant duty, but one that must be performed. This year the board finds a very large number of taxpayers have made extremely low returns, and these are being raised regardless of race, color or previous condition, etc. The commissioners will likely finish their work this afternoon and adjourn to the first Monday in July, when they will meet to hear any complaints that may be made against their action.

The Wool Market.

St. Louis, June 6.—Wool dull and easy; western and territorial mediums, 17c to 18c; fine, 18c to 17c; coarse, 16c to 15c.

TERRITORIAL NEWS

Happenings of the Past Few Days In Various Counties of New Mexico.

A NEW ODD FELLOWS LODGE

Several Weddings at Pinos Altos—Large Wool Ollips Received at Carlsbad—The Fire Clay Works at Socorro Have Resumed Operations.

SOCORRO COUNTY.

Colonel Quincy will erect a residence at Rosedale. John Greenwald has commenced to build a road from Socorro to Lemitar. The Demostre medal contest in the Presbyterian church at San Marcial was won by Miss Estelle Greenwald. Three young girls who claimed to have lost their ticket and had no money were put off a passenger train at Socorro.

P. A. Marcelino has put out 12,000 sweet potato plants near Socorro, which he expects will yield 350,000 pounds of potatoes. The fire clay company at Socorro has resumed operations, having secured several cars of fuel for lack of which it had closed down.

SAN JUAN COUNTY.

Aztec is again agitating the project of starting a normal school. Charles Bollinger, son of J. R. Bollinger, was struck by lightning at Bloomfield, but, strange to say, escaped serious injury. San Juan county will have a plentitude of fairs this fall, Aztec, Farmington and Flora Vista each intending to hold a fair this year.

Two men named Ireland and McCoy arrived at Farmington with their families from Arizona, and intend to settle in the San Juan valley.

Over \$200 has already been subscribed for the horticultural and agricultural fair to be held at Farmington this fall.

Mr. D. Peacock and Mrs. A. E. Trilllett were married at Farmington.

The wife and children of William Black, who has purchased the Glimour ranch south of the river at Flora Vista, have arrived, accompanied by Henry Black and family, of Santa Paula, Cal. Grand Master S. Vann instituted a new lodge of Odd Fellows at Aztec. It has been named Aztec lodge, No. 23. The following are the officers of the new lodge: Noble grand, E. G. Condit; vice grand, G. W. Lamberson; secretary, Lewis C. Grover; treasurer, Charles E. Mead; conductor, Charles V. Safford; warden, George T. Brett. A Rebekah lodge may be organized soon.

BERNALILLO COUNTY.

Sixty new dwelling houses are being erected at Gibson.

The Colorado Fuel and Iron Company disbursed \$25,000 in gold at its last pay day at Gallup.

The engagement is announced of Edward Sanders, of Pinal, Mex., to Miss Annie Wiesburn, of Bernalillo.

Oliver Mathews, of Cripple Creek, Colo., is visiting in the city.

GRANT COUNTY.

A new iron fence is being put up around the county house.

Silver City defeated the Pinos Altos baseball team by a score of 34 to 1.

Over \$1,200 have been subscribed by Silver City people for the celebration of the Fourth of July.

A construction train of the Santa Fe railroad has arrived at Silver City and is removing the old depot.

The "Club House" at Silver City, has been sold to John J. Johnson by George H. Bell and James E. Harvey.

Miss Charlotte Bailey, of Columbus, Grant county, and John Trevarrow, of Pinos Altos, were married by Rev. J. G. Ruoff, of Silver City.

B. B. Thayer for many years connected with the mining properties of the Hearst estate has resigned to accept a position with the Santa Rita Company.

Lewis Dorsey of Silver City, a member of the 34th regiment of volunteers, who was reported killed in the Philippines has written home that he is well and hearty.

Sheriff Blair the other day paid a fine for disturbing the peace. He had a dispute with another citizen and struck him with the fist on the cheekbone. Blair went to justice of the peace. He paid a fine although no complaint had been lodged against him.

James C. Climo and Miss Jennie English were married at the Gold Avenue Methodist Episcopal church at Pinos Altos. The bridegroom was Miss Dorothy Galloway of Silver City and the maid of honor Miss May Webb, of Pinos Altos. Dr. McCreary, of Mogollon, was best man and the groomsmen were Gordon Davidson, Henry Goetz, of Pinos Altos; William Rivers and Carl Combs, of Silver City. The flower girls were the Misses May Mark, and Alice Legros, of Pinos Altos. Rev. J. G. Ruoff, of Silver City, was the officiating clergyman. Mr. Climo is the metallurgist for the B. O. B., the Helen Mining company and the Silver Bar Copper Mining company at Mogollon.

EDDY COUNTY.

Manager L. O. Fullen, of the Carlsbad Argus, has gone back to work after a siege of illness that extended over several months. The Matheson Commission Company at Carlsbad have purchased the following clips this spring up to date: T. C. Coats, 6,000 pounds; Miller Bros., 18,000; Detwiler Bros., 19,000; T. C. Smith, 7,200; W. R. Turk, 19,200; O'Neal & Becket, 17,400; Julian Smith, 8,200; G. A. White, 17,000; C. F. White, 13,000; W. Rakerbrand, 6,000; W. P. Willburn, 2,500; J. N. Tedford, 1,450; G. H. Webster, Jr., 6,500; J. W. Turnkett, 24,000; W. Fite, 2,900; Cameron & Davis, 13,000; R. J. Bedford, 1,470; J. J. S. Smith, 2,900; W. A. Watkins, 19,100; T. W. Larremore, 9,000; C. Herbert, 4,100; H. E. Robb, 10,100; Miscellaneous, 2,000; total, 234,130 pounds. The scouring plant is turning out about two car loads of washed wool, each week, all of which is being shipped to Hartford, Conn. Mr. Matheson has purchased about 50,000 pounds additional that is just commencing to come in.

THE MEDICAL SOCIETY

The Physicians of the Territory Assembled In Convention at This City.

WELCOME BY GENERAL BARTLETT

The annual session of the New Mexico medical association convened at the Elks' hall this afternoon, Dr. T. P. Martin, of Taos county, presiding. Dr. W. G. Hope, of Albuquerque, is secretary, and Miss Nofsinger is acting as stenographer. The address of welcome was made by Solicitor General E. L. Bartlett in his usual happy vein, in which he extended the visitors hearty greeting on behalf of the citizens of the capital city, and complimented them upon the number and high character of their membership and the zeal they had shown in advancing their professional standard throughout New Mexico. Several members en route from the south missed connections at Albuquerque, and wired that they would reach here tonight. At this afternoon's session entertaining papers, dealing with subjects as follows, were read and very generally discussed: "Rest or Exercise in the Open Air in Treatment of Phthisis—Which?" by Dr. Frank McConnell, of Las Cruces. "A Case of Extra Uterine Pregnancy Operation and Recovery," by Dr. W. R. Tipton, of Las Vegas. "A Case of Senile Gangrene," by Dr. J. A. Rolis, of Watrous. "The Tuberculosis Patient as a Source of Revenue," by Dr. S. D. Swope, of Deming.

In attendance upon the meeting are all the local physicians, and those from territorial points are: Dr. T. P. Martin of Taos, Dr. W. R. Tipton of Las Vegas, Dr. L. Hines of Springer, Dr. J. A. Rolis of Watrous, Dr. George C. Bryan of Alamogordo, Drs. Frank D. Bishop, W. G. Hope, G. W. Harmon and Geo. W. Graves of Albuquerque.

To-night at 8:30 Mrs. T. B. Catron will throw open her elegant home and tender the visiting medical men a reception.

A LAS VEGAS JURIST.

Judge Sulzbacher Appointed to a Responsible Position.

The appointment of Louis Sulzbacher, a member of the Las Vegas bar, and ex-probate judge of San Miguel county, to the responsible position of associate justice of the United States court in Porto Rico, mentioned in the New Mexican's dispatches a few days ago, is generally attributed to the efforts of Hon. S. B. Elkins. Senator Elkins has been making frequent calls at the white house of late, and on a recent occasion Judge Sulzbacher accompanied him and had a personal interview with the president. The appointee's knowledge of the Spanish language doubtless had much weight in influencing the president's action.

SCHOOL ELECTIONS.

The Town of Alamogordo Elected the Republican Ticket.

School elections were held in all the districts of New Mexico outside of the cities on Monday. The returns are slow in being filed, but will be compiled in a week or two. At Alamogordo the Republican ticket for school director was elected, which presages that Otero county will go Republican this fall.

At Mora the Republicans triumphed, the following being the vote: Pedro Ortega, Republican, 91 votes; Andres Mora, Republican, 89; Manuel Velasquez, fusion of Democrats and Republicans, 164; Charles N. Strong, Democrat, 77; Roman Sisneros, Democrat, 76.

In precinct No. 13, Bernalillo county, the People's ticket, composed of M. R. Springer, A. Contreras and M. Duran, was elected, receiving double the vote of their opponents.

BERNALILLO COUNTY PROSPERING.

Hon. Epimeno R. Miera Believes the Republicans Will Carry the County.

Hon. Epimeno R. Miera, chairman of the board of county commissioners of Bernalillo county, whose home is in the western part of that county, has been spending a few days in the city attending the capitol dedication ceremonies and visiting relatives. Mr. Miera tells a most glowing story of the material progress of his section. The range is fine, and water is plentiful. Lambing has been successful, and the increase has averaged 85 per cent.

The acreage put in this spring in crops has materially increased, and the farmers expect a good season. Many fruit trees have been set out by the settlers and by the people of that section, and many new settlers are arriving. There is plenty of fine timber all over that country, and this is being utilized, sawmills being in successful operation.